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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
DANVILLE DIVISION

WILLIAM D. AMOS,

Plaintiff,

v.

VIRGINIA EMPLOYMENT  
COMMISSION, et al.,

Defendants.

) Civil Action No. 4:05CV00005

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) **ORDER**

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) By: Jackson L. Kiser

) Senior United States District Judge

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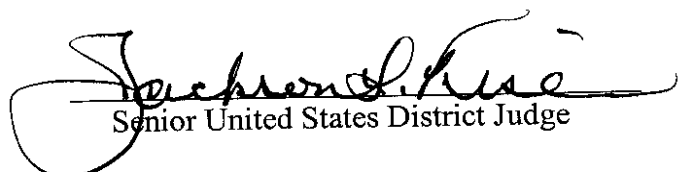
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Before me is Defendants' Motion to Dismiss and Motion to Strike [5]. The parties have briefed the issues and oral argument was held on April 8, 2005. The motion is therefore ripe for decision. For the reasons in the accompanying Memorandum Opinion, I hereby **GRANT** Defendants' Motion to Dismiss with respect to all claims against the individual Defendants: Norma Turner, Dolores Esser, Bill Jacobs, Woody Tucker, Aundy Holland, Kristina Skeldon, Sally Henderson, Barbara Weeks Smith, Linda Daniel, and Diane Wilmouth. The Motion to Dismiss is **GRANTED** with respect to the hostile work environment claim but **DENIED** with respect to the retaliation claim. Defendants' Motion to Strike punitive damages from the Complaint is **GRANTED**.

The suit will proceed solely on the retaliation claim against the Virginia Employment Commission. The clerk is directed to send a certified copy of this Order to all counsel of record and to the *pro se* Plaintiff.

ENTERED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April, 2005.

  
Senior United States District Judge